





## LOUISVILLE TIMES.

SATURDAY :::::::::::::: DECEMBER 20, 1856

Judge Johnston stated before the Police Court, on Thursday, that the Work House in this city is in a most deplorable situation—indeed, a public nuisance. He discharged several prisoners, from the fact that the place was not fit for their healthy custody.

**VALENTINE & CO'S EXPRESS.**—This freight line is now in active operation, and we learn from their efficient agent in this city, Messrs. Smith, Guthrie & Co. They offer one of the best and largest stocks of groceries and liquors to be found in this market, consisting of everything kept in this line. We saw, while passing their large establishment yesterday, that they were very busy filling orders for country merchants with choice groceries for the holidays.

This is emphatically the house to buy groceries and liquors, and merchants will always find the courteous, indomitable Mr. Guthrie on hand to show them through their large stock and fill their orders. This firm consists of clever, honorable gentlemen and fair dealers, and sell their goods at fair prices.

—Mr. E. F. Loezer, on the corner of Fifth and Green streets, has from \$60,000 to 70,000 bushels of coal for sale, which he will dispose of at 25 cents per bushel.

**FOR RENT.**—See Store Rooms for rent in today's paper. These stores are some of the best in the city and are in the most business part—on Sixth street under the Exchange Hotel. Enquire of Capt. J. Canales.

The Lightfoot, Esmeralda, Moderator, and V. E. Stevenson, were at the wharf yesterday, besides the mailboats and packets.

Business was quite animated on the levee, and the shipments have been fully an average for the regular trade.

The storm and wind have detained the boats from below some twenty or thirty hours, but they may all be anticipated during to-day.

The David White leaves for New Orleans tomorrow.

The Wm. Baird, from Cincinnati, will be found at the city wharf this morning, or her way to St. Louis.

The fine steamer V. E. Stevenson, a regular packet, leaves for Nashville this morning at 8 o'clock, positively. Two more clever gentlemen than Captain Seyer, and Mr. Ang. Chamaze, her first clerk, are no where to be found on land or water. Passengers will find the Stevenson and her officers "all right." Be on board in time to secure a berth.

The St. Louis Intelligencer, of Thursday, says:

There is at present a very large amount of ice floating in the river, opposite the city, and it is fast becoming thicker and heavier. Boats now begin to find it hard work to get through when coming upstream. The water fell yesterday, not more than four or five inches, it is to fall in all since Saturday about four feet.

**FURNISHING GOODS AT COST.**—We refer our readers to the conspicuous advertisement in this morning's paper of A. D. Miller. He offers his entire stock of fruit, fanning and fancy goods at cost prices and deviation. His stock consists of genteel cuts, pens, vests, etc., and every article of gent's wear. This is a good opportunity for those who wish to make fine Christmas and New Year's presents to buy all kinds of fine and fancy articles at prime cost. Mr. M. is a clever gentleman and deals on the square with all. Our clever friend McCawley will be happy to see all of his old friends at the above establishment, corner of Main and Third streets.

**PLAN AS THE MISS OF A FACE.**—Wells' Gallery is referred to for pictures on account of the superiority of their work, and the beautiful variety of cases, frames, locks, medallions, brooches, charms, &c., suitable for glass pictures, just the kind for holiday presents.

Lewis Raven requests us to say he will have his usual supply of fine-hued aviation and bear meat, on Tuesday and Wednesday night, and there will be no charter on Thursday and Friday.

Old and young are now indiscriminately using Prof. Wood's Hair Restorative, some as a cosmetic or beautifier of the complexion, some to prevent the hair falling, some as a mere dressing for the hair, and others to make it grow and to change gray hair to its original color; and there is no doubt of its answering all the purposes for which it was designed by its illustrious inventor. Raymond & Patten are the agents.

Yesterday evening, while a warm rain was falling in Pittsburgh, it was freezing hard here. Last night was bitterly cold.

There is about 200,000 bushels of coal in the hands of dealers in this city. It is retailing at 25 cents per bushel.

The A. L. Shotwell reached Louisville last night from New Orleans. We are indebted to her for sites of the 12th.

We understand that a free negro in Cadiz, Ky., who had some hand in the plot of the negro insurrection, was hung by the people of Trigg county.

**FINE JEWELRY AT COST, AND NO MISTAKE.**—We invite attention to the advertisement in today's paper, of Capt. J. J. Hirschbuhl. He is opening his fine stock of watches, clocks, diamonds and fine jewelry, at cost, for a few days only. From a long absence from business by sickness, it has forced the invincible Captain to offer his fine stock of goods at cost, to meet his payments. The reputation of Captain H. is well known in this community as an honest man, and sells his goods as he represents them to the public by advertisement, and no humpum. We will furnish for this. His store is No. 509 Main street, near Third street.

**TASATRE.**—Last night, altho' an unusual cold one, witnessed an attendance at the theatre, on the occasion of the last appearance of the deservedly popular actress, Miss Alice, that speaks well for the taste of our numerous dramatic-acting citizens. Miss Alice leaves for Nashville, Tenn., where she intends filling a series of engagements and where we hope she will meet with that encouragement due to high dramatic merit. The play for to-morrow night is the "Serious Family."

The KELLER TRAUM.—This world-wide famous troupe of artists will gratify our citizens to-morrow evening, at Mozart Hall, with their magnificent tableau, the programme of which may be found in our columns.

Miss Hall has been admirably arranged for the presentation of these tableaux, and nothing will be spared to show them in their best light. Their popularity with the most refined has been immense. Whenever they have exhibited their rare living pictures, they have been met by universal admiration. Nothing of the kind has ever been attempted, and Captain H. may congratulate himself that he has succeeded in realizing at this great distance, a perfect presentation of the works of the great masters.

The New Mirror says of the tableaux of M. Keller: "It is quite impossible to convey, by description, any idea of the classic beauty, the chaste, and the high artistic finish of these animated pictures, for they are all living illustrations of the most celebrated works of art, either in painting or statuary. That they may possess too much refinement of beauty to be fully appreciated by some minds, we can readily believe, but that they will attract, as well by their novelty as by their exceeding excellence we have not the least doubt. Their elaborateness of detail is remarkable, and every figure in the groups forms a separate and distinct study. There is nothing that in the slightest degree approaches grossness, or that can offend either the most delicately scrupulous or the most fastidious taste."

Such is the expression of all who have witnessed these unequalled pictures presented by living and breathing forms of those creations of genius which gave their originators immortality. No wonder, then, that our citizens are all anxious that the exhibition shall commence, and eagerly expect the day.

**TO MERCHANTS.**—Read the advertisement in another column of this morning's paper, of Messrs. Smith, Guthrie & Co. They offer one of the best and largest stocks of groceries and liquors in this market, consisting of everything kept in this line. We saw, while passing their large establishment yesterday, that they were very busy filling orders for country merchants with choice groceries for the holidays.

The Oriental Life Liniment should be kept constantly on hand by every family. One great evidence of its usefulness is the fact that over one hundred and fifty thousand bottles have been sold in the last three years, and the demand is increasing every day. Remember the place, 96 Third street, between Market and Jefferson, near the Post Office.

—Dr. ROBACK'S SCANDINAVIAN REMEDIES.—In directing the attention of our readers to Dr. Roback's advertisement, we have no hesitation in saying that we heartily endorse his medical skill, formed by certificates from many of the west. The language of these certificates is to express and grateful, and the cures refer to such a variety of diseases, that it would be folly to question the restorative properties of the preparations. It appears that while botanizing among his native mountains, in Sweden, during a visit to the country, he collected a large quantity of rare medicinal plants, unknown to this country, and by combining the liquids and solid extracts of those possessing power to detect properties, he succeeded in producing his celebrated Blood Purifier and Blood Pills, which are said to exercise a more beneficial effect on the human body than any other. These medicines are sold by Stewart, Starbird & Smith, S. F. Davies & Co., R. A. Robinson & Co., J. S. Morris & Co., J. R. Montgomery Scribner & Duval, W. J. Newark, New Albany W. Merriweather, Jeffersonville, Indiana, 13th deuce deuce.

—Dr. ROBACK'S SCANDINAVIAN REMEDIES.—For the instant relief and rapid cure of ASTHMA, CONSUMPTION, COUGHS, COLDS, HOARSENESS, CROUP, AND ALL DISORDERS OF THE LUNGS AND CHEST.

—WISTAN'S BALSAW OF WILD CHERRY.

